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Mr. Allen W. Dulles
Director of Central Intelligence
2430 E Street, N.W.
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

An exceptionally informative and interesting account of a recent breakthrough in automation of Russian technical literature translation was presented at NSA on 25 September by [redacted] Office of Central Reference, CIA. Several hundred NSA officials and analysts were present. Because machine translation is a vital segment of NSA's general problem of automation of all its processes, [redacted] information was of particular significance here.

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The National Security Agency appreciates the close working relationship with the CIA and the spirit of cooperation of [redacted] in this matter. Please be assured of NSA's interest in following closely all future developments in this area.

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Sincerely,

LOUIS W. TORDELLA
Deputy Director

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Kirkpatrick

The DCI suggested that I show these to you so that you might give consideration to their being made available to the Hull Board.

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By LBK -

Machine translation is not far enough advanced to talk to the Board about it.

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